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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

WESLEY THORNTON, AILEEN
MARTINEZ, CHIQUITA BELL, TEYIA
BOLDEN, and ANTOINETTE
STANSBERRY, individually and on
behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

NCO FINANCIAL SYSTEMS, INC., a
Pennsylvania Corporation,

Defendant.

Case No. 3:13-cv-00131-BAS-JLB

**JOINT STATUS REPORT
REGARDING SETTLEMENT**

Judge: Hon. Cynthia A. Bashant
Magistrate: Hon. Jill L. Burkhardt

Courtroom: 4B

1 Plaintiffs Wesley Thornton, Aileen Martinez, Chiquita Bell, Teyia Bolden, and
 2 Antoinette Stansberry (collectively "Plaintiffs"), jointly with Defendant NCO Financial
 3 Systems, Inc., (collectively "the Parties") by and through their undersigned counsel,
 4 respectfully provide the instant report regarding the status of their ongoing settlement
 5 efforts.

6 On February 2, 2016, the Parties filed a Joint Status Report informing the Court
 7 that although they had not yet finalized their anticipated term sheet regarding a
 8 proposed class-wide settlement of this matter, they anticipated they would be in a
 9 position to do so no later than today, February 9th. Since that time, the Parties have
 10 continued to work diligently and indeed, have circulated the proposed term sheet for
 11 final sign-off from both sides. As a result, the Parties expect to have signatures on the
 12 term sheet and to be in a position to proceed with preparing a formal written settlement
 13 agreement and related documents within a matter of days.

14 Accordingly, the Parties respectfully request a final one (1) week extension of the
 15 current stay of this matter so that they can gather the necessary signatures on the term
 16 sheet.

17 Respectfully Submitted,

18 **WESLEY THORNTON, AILEEN**
 19 **MARTINEZ, CHIQUITA BELL, TEYIA**
 20 **BOLDEN, and ANTOINETTE**
 21 **STANSBERRY**, individually and on behalf of
 all others similarly situated,

22 DATED: February 9, 2016

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DATED: February 9, 2016

By: s/ J. Dominick Larry